UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

LONDON-SIRE RECORDS INC., a Delaware corporation; ATLANTIC RECORDING CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation; BMG MUSIC, a New York general partnership: ELEKTRA ENTERTAINMENT GROUP INC., a Delaware corporation; INTERSCOPE RECORDS, a California general partnership; UMG RECORDINGS, INC., a Delaware corporation; SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT, a Delaware general partnership; ARISTA RECORDS LLC, a Delaware limited liability company; CAPITOL RECORDS, INC., a Delaware corporation; VIRGIN RECORDS AMERICA. INC., a California corporation; and WARNER BROS. RECORDS INC., a Delaware corporation,

CIVIL ACTION 04-12434 NG LEAD DOCKET NUMBER

Plaintiffs,

v.

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Defendants.

NOTICE OF DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF DEFENDANT JOHN DOE IN THE MATTER FORMERLY KNOWN AS SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT V. DOE, U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS, NO. 05-CV-10567

Pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1)(i) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiffs hereby give notice of the dismissal without prejudice of the claims asserted against Defendant John Doe in the matter known prior to the Court's April 20, 2005 consolidation order as <u>Sony BMG Music Entertainment v. John Doe</u>, U.S. District Court for the District of Massachusetts, No. 05-CV-10567.

This notice of dismissal shall have no effect on claims asserted against any other defendants in this matter.

LONDON-SIRE RECORDS INC.; ATLANTIC RECORDING CORPORATION; BMG MUSIC; ELEKTRA ENTERTAINMENT GROUP INC; INTERSCOPE RECORDS; UMG RECORDINGS, INC.; SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT; ARISTA RECORDS LLC; CAPITOL RECORDS, INC; VIRGIN RECORDS AMERICA, INC; and WARNER BROS. RECORDS INC., By their attorneys,

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